

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:) CONFIRMATION NO.: 5759
Akihiro SHIOJI, et al.)
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For: METHOD FOR MANUFACTURIN	IG SMALL CRYSTAL RESONATOR

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A response to the Office Action mailed December 1, 2005 is due by January 3, 2006. Please note that January 1, 2006 was a Sunday. On January 2, 2006, the United States Patent and Trademark Office was closed for the New Year's holiday. As such, please consider this Response as timely filed.

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